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It is my opinion that the US govt. should tread lightly and issue leniant sanctions against Microsoft. This company may have violated the letter of some law but it (in large measure) also brought to our world a wave of usability and productivity the likes of which have never been seen. I know that it's become popular these days to denigrate the giant software maker, but in the interests of fairness, I ask that you please be gentle.

Regards,

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